

# Monica F Costa

## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	The present and future of microplastic pollution in the marine environment. <i>Environmental Pollution</i> , 2014, 185, 352-364.	3.7	1,158
2	Plastic debris ingestion by marine catfish: An unexpected fisheries impact. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2011, 62, 1098-1102.	2.3	343
3	Distribution patterns of microplastics within the plankton of a tropical estuary. <i>Environmental Research</i> , 2014, 132, 146-155.	3.7	340
4	Fish and aquatic habitat conservation in South America: a continental overview with emphasis on neotropical systems. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2010, 76, 2118-2176.	0.7	320
5	Global research priorities to mitigate plastic pollution impacts on marine wildlife. <i>Endangered Species Research</i> , 2014, 25, 225-247.	1.2	275
6	On the importance of size of plastic fragments and pellets on the strandline: a snapshot of a Brazilian beach. <i>Environmental Monitoring and Assessment</i> , 2010, 168, 299-304.	1.3	257
7	Distribution, sources and consequences of nutrients, persistent organic pollutants, metals and microplastics in South American estuaries. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2019, 651, 1199-1218.	3.9	255
8	Marine debris review for Latin America and the Wider Caribbean Region: From the 1970s until now, and where do we go from here?. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2007, 54, 1087-1104.	2.3	221
9	Here, there and everywhere. Small plastic fragments and pellets on beaches of Fernando de Noronha (Equatorial Western Atlantic). <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2009, 58, 1236-1238.	2.3	179
10	Plastic debris retention and exportation by a mangrove forest patch. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2014, 78, 252-257.	2.3	170
11	Ingestion of nylon threads by Gerreidae while using a tropical estuary as foraging grounds. <i>Aquatic Biology</i> , 2012, 17, 29-34.	0.5	164
12	A critical review of the issue of cigarette butt pollution in coastal environments. <i>Environmental Research</i> , 2019, 172, 137-149.	3.7	162
13	The seasonal and spatial patterns of ingestion of polyfilament nylon fragments by estuarine drums (Sciaenidae). <i>Environmental Science and Pollution Research</i> , 2012, 19, 600-606.	2.7	158
14	Plastic pollution in islands of the Atlantic Ocean. <i>Environmental Pollution</i> , 2018, 238, 103-110.	3.7	155
15	Photoreduction of mercury in sea water and its possible implications for HgO air-sea fluxes. <i>Marine Chemistry</i> , 1999, 68, 87-95.	0.9	153
16	Seasonal distribution and interactions between plankton and microplastics in a tropical estuary. <i>Estuarine, Coastal and Shelf Science</i> , 2015, 165, 213-225.	0.9	153
17	Pelagic microplastics around an archipelago of the Equatorial Atlantic. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2013, 75, 305-309.	2.3	144
18	Seabirds indicate changes in the composition of plastic litter in the Atlantic and south-western Indian Oceans. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2008, 56, 1406-1409.	2.3	134

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19	Microplastics in the pelagic environment around oceanic islands of the Western Tropical Atlantic Ocean. <i>Water, Air, and Soil Pollution</i> , 2014, 225, 1.	1.1	109
20	High intake rates of microplastics in a Western Atlantic predatory fish, and insights of a direct fishery effect. <i>Environmental Pollution</i> , 2018, 236, 706-717.	3.7	100
21	Photoreduction and evolution of mercury from seawater. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2000, 261, 125-135.	3.9	94
22	Using gut contents to assess foraging patterns of juvenile green turtles <i>Chelonia mydas</i> in the Paranaguá Estuary, Brazil. <i>Endangered Species Research</i> , 2011, 13, 131-143.	1.2	85
23	Methods applied in studies of benthic marine debris. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2008, 56, 226-230.	2.3	84
24	An analysis of the riverine contribution to the solid wastes contamination of an isolated beach at the Brazilian Northeast. <i>Management of Environmental Quality</i> , 2007, 18, 6-12.	2.2	83
25	Plastic debris contamination in the life cycle of Acoupa weakfish ( <i>Cynoscion acoupa</i> ) in a tropical estuary. <i>ICES Journal of Marine Science</i> , 2016, 73, 2695-2707.	1.2	76
26	Movement patterns of catfishes (Ariidae) in a tropical semi-arid estuary. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2010, 76, 2540-2557.	0.7	69
27	Plastic pollution risks in an estuarine conservation unit. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2013, 65, 48-53.	0.1	63
28	Changes in the composition of ichthyoplankton assemblage and plastic debris in mangrove creeks relative to moon phases. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2016, 89, 619-640.	0.7	61
29	Mercury in tropical and subtropical coastal environments. <i>Environmental Research</i> , 2012, 119, 88-100.	3.7	59
30	PLASTICS IN THE ANTARCTIC ENVIRONMENT: ARE WE LOOKING ONLY AT THE TIP OF THE ICEBERG?. <i>Oecologia Australis</i> , 2011, 15, 150-170.	0.1	58
31	Microplastics in coastal and marine environments of the western tropical and sub-tropical Atlantic Ocean. <i>Environmental Sciences: Processes and Impacts</i> , 2015, 17, 1868-1879.	1.7	56
32	Total and methylmercury in a Brazilian estuary, Rio de Janeiro. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2002, 44, 1018-1023.	2.3	55
33	Total and methyl mercury in different species of molluscs from two estuaries in Rio de Janeiro State. <i>Journal of the Brazilian Chemical Society</i> , 2006, 17, 1409-1418.	0.6	53
34	Visual diagnosis of solid waste contamination of a tourist beach: Pernambuco, Brazil. <i>Waste Management</i> , 2007, 27, 833-839.	3.7	51
35	Municipal Services on Tourist Beaches: Costs and Benefits of Solid Waste Collection. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2006, 225, 1070-1075.	0.1	50
36	Seasonal differences in mercury accumulation in <i>Trichiurus lepturus</i> (Cutlassfish) in relation to length and weight in a Northeast Brazilian estuary. <i>Environmental Science and Pollution Research</i> , 2009, 16, 423-430.	2.7	49

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37	Influence of moon phase on fish assemblages in estuarine mangrove tidal creeks. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2011, 78, 344-354.	0.7	49
38	Nursery Habitat Shifts in an Estuarine Ecosystem: Patterns of Use by Sympatric Catfish Species. <i>Estuaries and Coasts</i> , 2012, 35, 587-602.	1.0	46
39	Can the Atlantic ghost crab be a potential biomonitor of microplastic pollution of sandy beaches sediment?. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2019, 145, 5-13.	2.3	45
40	Seasonal Diet Shifts and Overlap Between Two Sympatric Catfishes in an Estuarine Nursery. <i>Estuaries and Coasts</i> , 2013, 36, 237-256.	1.0	44
41	Environmental Quality Indicators for Recreational Beaches Classification. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2008, 246, 1439-1449.	0.1	43
42	Marine litter on a highly urbanized beach at Southeast Brazil: A contribution to the development of litter monitoring programs. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2021, 163, 111978.	2.3	39
43	Flag Items as a Tool for Monitoring Solid Wastes from Users on Urban Beaches. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2008, 244, 890-898.	0.1	38
44	Anthropogenic Litter on Beaches With Different Levels of Development and Use: A Snapshot of a Coast in Pernambuco (Brazil). <i>Frontiers in Marine Science</i> , 2018, 5, .	1.2	38
45	Total mercury, organic mercury and selenium in liver and kidney of a South American coastal dolphin. <i>Environmental Pollution</i> , 2008, 154, 98-106.	3.7	35
46	Plastic litter on an urban beach – a case study in Brazil. <i>Waste Management and Research</i> , 2009, 27, 93-97.	2.2	35
47	Do beachrocks affect microplastic deposition on the strandline of sandy beaches?. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2019, 141, 569-572.	2.3	35
48	The interaction rainfall vs. weight as determinant of total mercury concentration in fish from a tropical estuary. <i>Environmental Pollution</i> , 2012, 167, 1-6.	3.7	34
49	Methylmercury and total mercury in estuarine organisms from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. <i>Environmental Science and Pollution Research</i> , 2001, 8, 275-279.	2.7	32
50	Feeding ecology and seasonal diet overlap between <i>Stellifer brasiliensis</i> and <i>Stellifer stellifer</i> in a tropical estuarine ecocline. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2015, 86, 707-733.	0.7	32
51	Seasonal and spatial ontogenetic movements of Gerreidae in a Brazilian tropical estuarine ecocline and its application for nursery habitat conservation. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2016, 89, 696-712.	0.7	32
52	Trophic niche and habitat shifts of sympatric Gerreidae. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2014, 85, 1446-1469.	0.7	30
53	Spatial and Temporal Patterns of Use of Boa Viagem Beach, Northeast Brazil. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2008, 1, 79-86.	0.1	29
54	Seasonal-Dial Shifts of Ichthyoplankton Assemblages and Plastic Debris around an Equatorial Atlantic Archipelago. <i>Frontiers in Environmental Science</i> , 2016, 4, .	1.5	28

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55	Special challenges in the conservation of fishes and aquatic environments of South America. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2016, 89, 4-11.	0.7	26
56	“Sampling of micro(nano)plastics in environmental compartments: How to define standard procedures?” <i>Current Opinion in Environmental Science and Health</i> , 2018, 1, 36-40.	2.1	24
57	Interannual and Seasonal Variations in Estuarine Water Quality. <i>Frontiers in Marine Science</i> , 2018, 5, .	1.2	24
58	Dynamics of Marine Debris Ingestion by Profitable Fishes Along The Estuarine Ecocline. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2019, 9, 13514.	1.6	24
59	Ideal width of transects for monitoring source-related categories of plastics on beaches. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2006, 52, 957-961.	2.3	23
60	Distribution, characteristics and short-term variability of microplastics in beach sediment of Fernando de Noronha Archipelago, Brazil. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2021, 166, 112212.	2.3	23
61	Total mercury in Perna perna mussels from Guanabara Bay “10 years later. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2000, 261, 69-73.	3.9	21
62	Threats to sea turtle populations in the Western Atlantic: poaching and mortality in small-scale fishery gears. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2013, 65, 42-47.	0.1	19
63	Early development and allometric shifts during the ontogeny of a marine catfish ( <i>Cathorops</i> ) Tj ETQq1 1 0.784314 <small>rgBT /Overlock 10</small>	0.3	17
64	Cigarette butts in beach litter: Snapshot of a summer holiday. <i>Marine Pollution Bulletin</i> , 2021, 172, 112858.	2.3	17
65	Ecology of microplastics contamination within food webs of estuarine and coastal ecosystems. <i>MethodsX</i> , 2020, 7, 100861.	0.7	16
66	Total and methylmercury levels of a coastal human population and of fish from the Brazilian northeast. <i>Environmental Science and Pollution Research</i> , 2001, 8, 280-284.	2.7	15
67	Oceanografia e Química: unindo conhecimentos em prol dos oceanos e da sociedade. <i>Química Nova</i> , 2013, 36, 1497-1508.	0.3	15
68	Microplastics Sampling and Sample Handling. <i>Comprehensive Analytical Chemistry</i> , 2017, 75, 25-47.	0.7	15
69	Rip currents signaling and users behaviour at an overcrowded urban beach. <i>Ocean and Coastal Management</i> , 2018, 155, 90-97.	2.0	15
70	Total mercury in the fish <i>Trichiurus lepturus</i> from a tropical estuary in relation to length, weight, and season. <i>Neotropical Ichthyology</i> , 2011, 9, 183-190.	0.5	14
71	Early development of marine catfishes ( <i>Ariidae</i> ): from mouth brooding to the release of juveniles in nursery habitats. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2013, 82, 1990-2014.	0.7	13
72	Vertical growth in a coastal city: an analysis of Boa Viagem (Recife, Brazil). <i>Journal of Coastal Conservation</i> , 2016, 20, 31-42.	0.7	13

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73	Different faces of cigarette butts, the most abundant beach litter worldwide. <i>Environmental Science and Pollution Research</i> , 2022, 29, 48926-48936.	2.7	12
74	Verticalização da Praia da Boa Viagem (Recife, Pernambuco) e suas Consequências Sócio-Ambientais. <i>Journal of Integrated Coastal Zone Management</i> , 2008, 8, 233-245.	0.2	11
75	Methodology for the development of 3D GIS models in the Coastal Zone. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2014, 70, 479-484.	0.1	10
76	Interannual water quality changes at the head of a tropical estuary. <i>Environmental Monitoring and Assessment</i> , 2017, 189, 628.	1.3	10
77	Estuarine Ecoclines and the Associated Fauna: Ecological Information as the Basis for Ecosystem Conservation. <i>Coastal Research Library</i> , 2017, , 479-512.	0.2	9
78	How Can Accurate Landing Stats Help in Designing Better Fisheries and Environmental Management for Western Atlantic Estuaries?. <i>Coastal Research Library</i> , 2017, , 631-703.	0.2	7
79	Seasonal variation in the abundance and distribution of <i>Anomalocardia flexuosa</i> (Mollusca, Tj ETQq1 1 0.784314 rgBT /Overloc	0.9	6
80	Small-scale water quality monitoring networks. <i>Journal of Coastal Research</i> , 2013, 165, 1218-1223.	0.1	5
81	Analysis of urban growth in coastal areas supported by 2D/2.5D GIS data. A comparative study of Boa Viagem Beach (Brazil) and Rocha Beach (Portugal). <i>Journal of Coastal Conservation</i> , 2019, 23, 1081-1091.	0.7	5
82	Total mercury (T Hg) in <i>Anomalocardia brasiliensis</i> (Mollusca) under different biological and environmental conditions. <i>Latin American Journal of Aquatic Research</i> , 2016, 44, 267-274.	0.2	5
83	Global Changes, Anthropogenic Impacts and the Future of the Oceans. <i>Revista Virtual De Quimica</i> , 2018, 10, 1947-1967.	0.1	4
84	Grazing behaviour of a non-herbivorous characin: revisiting plasticity. <i>Journal of Fish Biology</i> , 2014, 85, 488-493.	0.7	1
85	Short-term patterns of shellfish exploitation by traditional estuarine fisheries. <i>Global Ecology and Conservation</i> , 2017, 12, 36-45.	1.0	0
86	Mangrove Park of Recife: A century of extreme uses and abuses (?). <i>Regional Studies in Marine Science</i> , 2021, 42, 101654.	0.4	0
87	Posicionamentos e controvérsias no movimento hip-hop. <i>Estudos De Psicologia (Natal)</i> , 2013, 18, 389-396.	0.0	0
88	Ecotourism. <i>Encyclopedia of Earth Sciences Series</i> , 2016, , 236-237.	0.1	0
89	Microplastics Pollution: Scientists On The Road To Consensus. , 2018, , .		0
90	Collection and Separation of Microplastics. , 2022, , 33-56.		0